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	Art Unit	2127
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PATENT APPLICATION

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TITLE : *Methods and Devices for Selecting Internet Servers*

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Enclosed are the following papers relating to the above-named application for patent:

Specification

7 Sheets of drawings containing FIGS. 1-6D

Assignment with Cover Sheet

Declaration and Power of Attorney

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Multiple Dependent Claims(s), if applicable				
Basic Fee			\$710.00	\$710.00
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